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METHOD AND MEANS FOR CONTROLLING THE OPERATION OF

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Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the non-final office action dated September 1, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

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